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March 23, 2009

MISC. ORDER 2009-004

BY THE COURT:

Associate Justice Coleman A. Blease is appointed to serve as Acting Presiding Justice to discharge the duties described in the California Rules of Court, rules 10.1004, 10.1012, and 10.1016, during the absence of the Presiding Justice from the court on March 26 and March 27, 2009, or until his return. (See Cal. Const., art. VI, §3.) The senior member of a panel of the Court is designated the Acting Presiding Justice of that panel during the absence of the Presiding Justice. SCOTLAND, P.J.

At 9:30 a.m., the court met in the Library and Courts Building to begin its court calendar session. Present were Nicholson, Associate Justice; Butz, Associate Justice; Cantil-Sakauye, Associate Justice; and Haskett, bailiff.

C057989 MCCAIN et al. v. HAN

Cause called. William V. Campisi, Jr. argued for appellant. Yvonne M. Pierrou argued for respondent. Cause submitted. Cause submitted.

At 10:12 a.m., the court recessed. At 10:15 a.m., the court reconvened with Raye, Associate Justice; Robie, Associate Justice; and Cantil-Sakauye, Associate Justice.

C055282 THE PEOPLE v. FREDDY SIORDIA

Cause called. Manuel J. Baglanis, court appointed counsel, argued for appellant. Daniel B. Bernstein, Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent. Cause submitted.

At 10:42 a.m., the court recessed. At 2:01 p.m., the court reconvened with Scotland, Presiding Justice; Blease, Associate Justice; and Robie, Associate Justice.

C054919 TESELLE v. MCLOUGHLIN

Cause called. Thomas H. Keeling, J.D., PH.D. argued for and Franklin J. Brummett appeared only for appellant. Matthew J. Weber argued for respondent. Cause submitted.

At 2:33 p.m., the court recessed. At 2:35 p.m., the court reconvened with Scotland Presiding Justice; Raye, Associate Justice; and Cantil-Sakauye, Associate Justice.

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C056832 In re N.M.; SACRAMENTO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES v. R.M.; N.M.

Cause called. Christopher Blake, court appointed counsel, argued for appellant. Jason Manoogian, deputy county counsel, argued for respondent R.M.. Nicole A. Williams, court appointed counsel, argued for respondent N.M.. Cause submitted.

At 3:07 p.m., the court recessed. At 3:10 p.m., the court reconvened with Scotland Presiding Justice; Raye, Associate Justice; and Butz, Associate Justice.

CO58415 CALIFORNIA ATTORNEYS, etc. v. SCHWARZENEGGER as Governor, etc., et al.

Cause called. Patrick Whalen argued for appellant. Todd M. Ratshin argued and Paul Starkey appeared only for respondent. Cause submitted.

At 3:43 p.m., the court recessed until Monday, April 13, 2009.

C054076 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

MICAH AUSTIN PATTERSON

The judgment is affirmed.

CANTIL-SAKAUYE, J.

I concur: Scotland, P.J.

I dissent: ...

Davis, J.*

C054696 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

LARRY ALEXANDER

The judgment is affirmed.

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BLEASE, J. We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Hull, J.

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C056622 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

BRIAN ISADORE JONES

The conviction on count twelve is hereby vacated. The judgment is affirmed in all other respects. The trial court is directed to prepare an amended abstract of judgment in light of this court's decision regarding the conviction on count twelve and to reflect the correct aggregate term, imposed at sentencing, of 122 years six months in state prison. The trial court is further directed to deliver a certified copy of the amended abstract of judgment to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

DAVIS, J.*

We Concur: Sims, Acting P.J.

Hull. J.

C057136 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

CHRISTOPHER CHILTON

The judgment is affirmed.

MORRISON, J.*

We Concur: Robie, Acting P.J.

Cantil-Sakauye, J.

C057170 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

KENNETH DALE MURPHY

The judgment is affirmed.

HULL, J.

We Concur: Sims, Acting P.J.

Davis, J.*

C057457 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

TIMOTHY R. WRIGHT

The judgment is affirmed.

MORRISON, J.*

We Concur: Nicholson, Acting P.J.

Robie, J.

^{*}Retired Associate Justice of the Court of Appeal. Third Appellate District, assigned by the Chief Justice pursuant to article VI, section 6 of the California Constitution.

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C057728 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

CHARLES LOCKHEART

The judgment is affirmed.

BLEASE, Acting P.J.

We Concur: Nicholson, J.

Raye, J.

C057757 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

SARAH ELIZABETH DUTRA

The matter is remanded for the trial court to determine the restitution amount to award to Joyce Carter (Blair). The trial court is directed to reduce the restitution amount to Alfred Torres to \$6,900. The trial court is also directed to amend the abstract of judgment to reflect these changes, and to show total custody credit for defendant of 2,145 days, as detailed in part 3 of this opinion, and to send a certified copy of the amended abstract to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation. As so modified, the judgment is affirmed.

DAVIS, J.*

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Robie, J.

C057653 THE PEOPLE v. LYNN CLEGHORN

(Not For Publication)

Defendant's sentence is vacated and the matter is remanded for resentencing in accordance with the principles set forth in this opinion. In all other respects, the judgment is affirmed.

MORRISON, J.*

I concur: Nicholson, Acting P.J.

I concur and write separately to express my concern on the trial judge's refusal o follow clear requirements of law.

Robie, J.

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C058064 THE PEOPLE v. (Not For Publication)

RALPH HIBBLER, III

The judgment is affirmed.

NICHOLSON, J.

We Concur: Blease, Acting P.J.

Davis, J.*

C058131 THE PEOPLE v. (Not For Publication)

JOHN WALLACE CARTER

The judgment is affirmed.

MORRISON, J.*
We Concur: Nicholson, Acting P.J.

Robie, J.

C058246 THE PEOPLE v. (Not For Publication)

JERRY LEE STARK, III

The judgment is affirmed.

MORRISON, J.*

I concur: Hull, J. I concur in the result:

Raye, Acting P.J.

C058599 THE PEOPLE v. (Not For Publication)

PAUL ALEJANDRO DURAN

The judgment is affirmed.

ROBIE, J.

I concur: Hull, J.

I concur in the result. Whatever error, if any, occurred in the failure to give a pinpoint instruction on assault with a firearm was harmless. The defendant was not convicted of that offense.

Blease, Acting P.J.

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C058799 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

DAVID McKINLEY WALTON

The appeal is dismissed without prejudice to any rights defendant may have by way of a petition for writ of habeas corpus.

ROBIE, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Butz, J.

C058884 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

TIMOTHY JAMES HURSH

The judgment is affirmed.

MORRISON, J.*

We Concur: Nicholson, Acting P.J.

Robie, J.

C054927 HAUSELT v. COUNTY OF BUTTE

(Certified For Publication)

The judgment is affirmed. County is awarded costs of appeal.

DAVIS, J.*

We Concur: Hull, Acting P.J.

Cantil-Sakauye, J.

C055890 FRANKEL v. FRANKEL

(Not For Publication)

The judgment is reversed as to the award of sanctions against Jeffrey under Family Code section 271. In all other respects, the judgment is affirmed. The parties shall bear their own costs on appeal.

(Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.278 (a) .)

NICHOLSON, Acting P.J.

We Concur: Robie, J.

Cantil-Sakauye, J.

C055676 In re JEREMIAH F.; THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

JEREMIAH F.

The order of the juvenile court is affirmed.

NICHOLSON, Acting P.J.

We Concur: Robie, J.

Davis, J.*

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C059355 In re R.S.; SACRAMENTO COUNTY (Not For Publication)

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES v. S.F.

The judgment is affirmed.

HULL, J.

We Concur: Raye, Acting P.J.

Butz, J.

C057250 In re D.F.; SACRAMENTO COUNTY (Not For Publication)

C057753 **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND**

HUMAN SERVICES v. D.F., SR.

THE COURT:

The opinion in the above entitled matter on February 20, 2009, was not published in the Official Reports. For good cause it now appears the opinion should be published and it is so ordered.

FOR THE COURT:

BLEASE, Acting P.J. Cantil-Sakauye, J. Morrison, J.*

March 24, 2009

THE PEOPLE v. C052822 C055721

(Not For Publication)

JEFFRICK BROWN

The judgment is affirmed.

DAVIS, J.*

Nicholson, Acting P.J. We Concur:

Hull. J.

C053995 THE PEOPLE v. (Certified For Publication)

RANDY DEAN PIERCE

The judgment is affirmed.

DAVIS, J.*

Robie, J. I concur:

I concur in the result: ...

Hull, Acting P.J.

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C055619 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

SENICA RAYSHAWN HILL et al.

Defendant Young's judgment is affirmed. ...

As to defendant Hill, the unpronounced \$1,799 in victim restitution, the \$213.37 booking fee and the \$23.50 classification fee mistakenly entered in Hill's abstract of judgment are stricken. Defendant Hill is remanded to the trial court for a hearing on victim restitution and his ability to pay authorized fees. In all other respects defendant Hill's judgment is affirmed.

DAVIS, J.*

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Sims, J.

C056419 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

GARY WAYNE RUBLE

The judgment is affirmed.

DAVIS, J.*

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Blease, J.

C056845 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

ZACHARY TERRY HARRIS

The appeal is dismissed.

DAVIS, J.*

We Concur: Hull, Acting P.J.

Cantil-Sakauve, J.

C057525 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

DENNIS MICHAEL O'BRIEN

The judgment is affirmed.

MORRISON, J.*

We Concur: Nicholson, Acting P.J.

Robie, J.

C058061 THE PEOPLE v.

(Certified For Publication)

DANNY GREG UECKER

The judgment is affirmed.

ROBIE, J.

We Concur: Nicholson, Acting P.J.

Raye, J.

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C058144 THE PEOPLE v. ARON CRUZ ROJAS (Not For Publication)

The judgment is affirmed.

HULL, J.

I concur: Butz, J.

With one exception, I concur in the majority opinion. ...

Because the trial court had no duty to instruct sua sponte on imperfect self-defense and, in any event, defendant was not harmed by lack of such instruction, I concur that the judgment must be affirmed.

Scotland, P.J.

C058146 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

ZOLTAN MICHAEL GERGELY

The judgment is affirmed.

SCOTLAND, P.J.

We Concur: Sims, J.

Nicholson, J.

C058167 THE PEOPLE v. MARK ADCOCK

(Not For Publication)

The judgment is affirmed.

HULL, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Butz, J.

C059049 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

JOHNNY LEE KETCHUM

The judgment is affirmed.

SCOTLAND, P.J.

We Concur: Blease, J.

Robie, J.

C059664 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

RICKY ARMSTRONG PATTERSON

The judgment is affirmed. The trial court is directed to amend the abstract of judgment to reflect the \$128 booking fee imposed by the court and to send a certified copy of the amended abstract to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

SCOTLAND, P.J.

We Concur: Blease, J.

Robie, J.

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C059706 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

ANTHONY ANGELO ZAMORA

The judgment is affirmed.

ROBIE, J.

We Concur: Nicholson, Acting P.J.

Hull. J.

C057018 CALIFORNIA NATIVE PLANT

(Certified For Publication)

SOCIETY v. CITY OF RANCHO CORDOVA et al.; JAEGER ROAD

530, LLC

The judgment is reversed and the trial court is instructed to enter, consistent with this opinion, a new and different judgment granting in part and denying in part the Society's petition for writ of mandate. The parties shall bear their own costs on appeal.

(Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.278 (a) .)

ROBIE, J.

We Concur: Nicholson, Acting P.J.

Hull, J.

C057430 HELDER v. HELDER, JR. et al.

(Not For Publication)

The order is affirmed.

MORRISON, J.*

We Concur: Robie, Acting P.J.

Cantil-Sakauye, J.

C057542 TAXPAYERS FOR IMPROVING

(Certified For Publication)

PUBLIC SAFETY et al. v.

SCHWARZENEGGER, as Governor, etc., et al.

The judgment is affirmed.

HULL, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Nicholson, J.

March 25, 2009

C056765 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

MICHAEL JOHN HUGGINS, JR.

The judgment is affirmed.

HULL, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Cantil-Sakauye, J.

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C059762 THE PEOPLE v. (Not For Publication)

HILBERTO RIVERO OSORIO

The judgment is affirmed. BLEASE, Acting P.J.

We Concur: Sims. J.

Nicholson, J.

C059556 THE PEOPLE v. (Not For Publication)

JOSEPH HAROLD WHITTEMORE, JR.

The judgment is affirmed.

BUTZ, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Raye, J.

C057734 PLUMBERS AND STEAMFITTERS LOCAL (Not For Publication)

UNION NO. 447 et al. v. JOHN F. OTTO, INC.

The judgment of dismissal is affirmed. Otto is awarded costs on appeal.

(Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.278 (a) (2) .)

BUTZ. J.

We Concur: Sims, Acting P.J.

Hull, J.

C058502 HOFMAN RANCH et al. v. (Certified For Publication)

> YUBA COUNTY LOCAL AGENCY **FORMATION COMMISSION et al.**

The judgment is affirmed. Defendants are awarded their costs on appeal.

(Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.278 (a) (2) .)

ROBIE. J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Hull, J.

March 26, 2009

C058501 THE PEOPLE v. (Not For Publication)

HARJIT S. BHAMBRA

The judgment is affirmed.

SCOTLAND, P.J.

We Concur: Rave, J.

Butz, J.

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C058882 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

DON HENRY WIDEMAN, JR.

The judgment is affirmed.

CANTIL-SAKAUYE, J.

We Concur: Raye, Acting P.J.

Robie, J.

C054210 In re LENNIE PARKER on Habeas Corpus (No.

(Not For Publication)

The trial court's order vacating the Board of Parole Hearings' decision

and directing the Board to reconsider the matter is affirmed.

The trial court's order is reversed insofar as it directs the Board of Parole

Hearings to grant parole to Parker.

SIMS, Acting P.J.

We Concur: Raye, J.

Butz, J.

March 27, 2009

C056219 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

OCTAVIO GOMEZ-PEREZ et al.

The judgments are affirmed.

BUTZ, J.

We Concur: Scotland, P.J.

Rave, J.

C057488 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

JUSTIN MICHAEL COOPER

The judgment is affirmed.

RAYE, J.

We Concur: Nicholson, Acting P.J.

Butz, J.

C058966 THE PEOPLE v.

(Not For Publication)

BILLY TOM DUNCAN, JR.

The judgment is affirmed.

BLEASE, Acting P.J.

We Concur: Sims, J.

Nicholson, J.

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C059013 THE PEOPLE v. (Not For Publication)

WILLIAM FREDERICK RYMER

The judgment is affirmed.

ROBIE, J.

We Concur: Raye, Acting P.J.

Cantil-Sakauye, J.

C057989 McCAIN et al. v. HAN (Not For Publication)

The judgment is affirmed.

CANTIL-SAKAUYE, J.

We Concur: Nicholson, Acting P.J.

Butz, J.